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SUBJECT: ARGENTINE-MEXICAN RELATIONS: SIX ASYLEES DEPART FROM
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1. WITH RETURN TO BUENOS AIRES OF MEXICAN AMBASSADOR, AND DEPARTURE UNDER SAFE-CONDUCT OF SIX OF REPORTED NINE ASYLEES IN MEXICAN EMBASSY, IT APPEARS THAT MEXICAN-ARGENTINE RELATIONS ARE IMPROVING A BIT. SIX ARGENTINE NATIONALS LEFT ASYLUM IN MEXICAN EMBASSY OCTOBER 6 AND LEFT IMMEDIATELY FOR MEXICO. THEY WERE REPORTEDLY GUILLERMO GRECCO, DESCRIBED AS A PSYCHOLOGIST, WITH HIS WIFE AND INFANT SON, AND FRANCISCO YOFRE WITH HIS WIFE AND INFANT SON. THESE ARE EVIDENTLY THE TWO "UNIDENTIFIED COUPLES" WHO HAVE BEEN DESCRIBED BY PRESS AND OTHER REPORTS AS BEING IN EMBASSY.
2. THERE ARE ONLY THREE ASYLEES LEFT IN MEXICAN EMBASSY NOW; FORMER PRESIDENT HECTOR CAMPORA, HIS SON OF SAME NAME, AND JUAN MANUEL ABAL MEDINA, A PERONIST YOUTH LEADER.
3. EMBOFF WAS TOLD BY INFORMED SOURCE IN FONMINISTRY THAT MEXICANS HAVE NOT ASKED FOR SAFE-CONDUCTS FOR CAMPORA, WHICH GOA WOULD NOT AT THIS POINT GRANT IN ANY CASE.

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4. COMMENT. WE SUPPOSE THAT DEPARTURE OF SIX ASYLEES WAS
PART OF ARRANGEMENT BETWEEN MEXICO AND ARGENTINA TO GET AMBASSADORS
BACK IN PLACE AND REDUCE TENSIONS BETWEEN THEM.
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